

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW THE USE OF CELL PHONES ABOARD OUR AIRCRAFT! I feel (1) it would be a real distraction to all of our safety announcements that we have a hard enough time getting people to listen to to as it is! God forbid there ever be a real emergency!! (2)I personally do not feel enough studies have been done with regard to the possible interference that multiple cell phones could have with our navigational equipment. (3) Cell phone use in the cabin would be extremely disruptive to not only the flight attendants trying to do our service and follow all of the FAA regulations, but to our other paying passengers as well. (I have actually talked to several passengers lately regarding this and they were all appalled that it would even be considered!) There would be a multitude of one way conversations going on, and it has been my experience that many people who can't live without their cell phones, tend to talk VERY LOUD (as if everyone should be interested in what they are talking about!) I could go on and on about why cell phones should not be used onboard aircraft (with the exception of taxiing in to the gate), but I am sure you catch my drift. Thank you for your time! Very respectfully yours, Carol A. Smith (10 year flight attendant with Alaska Airlines)